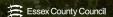
ESSEX COUNTRY PARKS

# Something exciting is happening HERE!

We are felling trees and removing scrub as part of our wood pasture restoration programme. This will let light in and allow plants, animals and the remaining native and veteran trees to thrive.

Please keep dogs on leads, stick to the paths and observe any safety signs.

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# FAOS Thorndon Country Park Wood pasture restoration

## Q Is my visit to Thorndon Country Park likely to be affected?

A Some of the paths in and around Menagerie Plantation at Thorndon South and the car park will be impacted. However, you will be able to take alternative routes through the park.

Loud machinery and large vehicles will be operating onsite. Timber will be extracted to the car park via the track using a tractor and trailer.



### Q Will I need to keep my dog on the lead?

A Yes, please keep dogs on leads in any areas where work is taking place for their safety and that of the workers. Please observe and follow any safety signs.

## Q How long will the work be taking place?

A The initial wood pasture work in Menagerie Plantation is likely to take a couple of months.

The ambitious landscape restoration programme at the Essex Country Parks will be taking place over many years to boost nature recovery for the future.

At Thorndon this will mean further wood pasture restoration, veteran tree management and grassland grazing, with fencing going up to protect the livestock.



Read more about what we're doing and why at Thorndon Country Park: www.explore-essex.com/landscape-restoration-thorndon